

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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NEW INTERNATIONAL FLIGHTS
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether some new international flights are being envisaged by the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the parameters for selection of routes for these flights?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)

(a), (b) and (c): Government of India has so far entered into bilateral Air Services Agreement with 97 countries under which traffic rights are available for operations between India and the concerned country. Actual operations are, however, matters of commercial judgement of Air India, Indian Airlines or the respective foreign airlines.